### Mortality in Great Battles of Civil and International Wars.

statisticians are very busy in these war e days and much paper, pencil and time the been consumed in the Transval specially. These are of a comparative source and they furnish some valuable and interesting data which may be of critic some time to the future historian. Unsuestionably the most deadly engagement in the history of international ware that of Boradino. In speaking of the awful carnage a well known writer at historian has said: "No battle of the first times, no encounter also better the content of the cont been consumed in the Transvaul ern times, no encounter sines the days re guppowder when the beaten side be cut down ad libitum by the and quarter was seldom given.

at 10 wounded a total loss of 260 men.

At lowest estimate fixes the loss at 10 men. In the Prusstan Guards' attack upon the lowest estimate fixes the loss at 10 men. In the Prusstan Guards' attack upon the lowest estimate fixes men were loss exceeded 50, 8320 of the 25,000 men below out of action. The Austrians loss in put out of action. The Austrians loss for the control of 210,000 men. Or one-seventhese despectations. markably high figure and totally dispre-markably high figure and totally dispre-portionate to the losses sustained by the rest of the army. Of the 1500 Boers op-points he killed and wounded numbered the percentage of 28. The percentage re-much smaller in the affair at Mark s Kop, averaging a little mora than cent, twelve being killed, 101 wound-The number of

ing material. For instances, out men tell as grain before the seythe, the

SAN ANGELO LOCALS.

Election.

Sin Angelo, Yeans, January 19 .- A petition

Pain back of your

eyes? Heavy pressure in your head? And are

you sometimes faint and

dizzy? Is your tongue

coated? Bad taste in

your mouth? And does

your food distress you?

Are you nervous and ir-

ritable? Do you often

have the blues? And

are you troubled about

Then your liver is

all wrong. But there is a cure.

They act directly on

the liver. They cure constipation, biliousness,

sick headache, nausea,

and dyspepsia. Take a axative dose each night.

for 60 years years they

have been the Standard

I have taken Ayer's Pills reguly for air months. They have
the in of a severe headache, and
all now shift from two to four
les withing arting thred or out
breath, something I have not
an able to do for many years."

All Drugists.

Salem, Mass.

amily Pills.

Tis the old reliable

sleeping?

the county judge was being circulated this

Redition Praying for a Corporation to her daus Bluff Ark.

20 000 out of 210,000 men, or one-seventh of the force. In Skubeleff's despe-

ata attack upon the Turkish earth-works at Plevna 8000 of the

18,000 attacking party were killed and

wounded.
The civil war was marked by many

bloody fights and in some engagements the losses were extremely heavy \* A) Spot-

sylvania, in the Bloods Angle, for in-stance, where blood flowed like water and

to whether or not San Atgelo shall be teered His Legal Services.

Frankfort, Ky., January 20 .- The grand jury today indicted ex-Congressman David

been let for the new John
lding, to be described by the
on company XISSO.

The that no new cases or
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counts. The brst charges wilful murder

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Messrs. Peter and Mait Marseb of West from service fever have occurred since counts. The first charges wilful murder seeds, he trustees have decided to of Lieutenan Ethelbert Scott, one of the Bend. down, brothers-in-law of Henry is kare scally and Kittle Holden of the other with the murder of Lieuten De-A. T. Lyle has gone to Fort Worth marre, one of the bystanders who was a weeks visit with relatives. | Rilled. The grand jury was granted a furax weeks visit with relatives.

J. M. Sowell and sister expect soon to South Airica, where they have relative extension of time, and it is understood more testimony is to be heard as to stood more testimony is to be beard as to the killing of Charles J. Guilan, the other beard aged 78: In Concho county Ianbary 18, aged 78: In Conc

Many society women words of sympathy. in W. Brown of Cleburne is visit-ster, Mrs. John D. Robertson, fr. I Mrs. Joe S. Cotter of Ballbogs-visiting their daughter, Mrs. B. A. Mr. Colson is a bachelor.

VICTORIA LOCALS.

on of the birthday of Beneral Robert F. ters of Confederacy, which took place yester, and the sensible way to solve the riddle day afternoon at the residence of Mrs. J. V. and cure the dyspensia is to make daily

cay afternoon at the residence of Mrs. J. V. Vandenberg, was a largely attended, most elegant and enjoyable function; apropriate literary programme was rendered; the prescutation of a portrait of Colonel W. P. Rogars to the chapter by Misares Roston of Wharting and Harris of San Saha, granddaughters at that guilant officer, was the most interesting feature of the occasion.

There was standing room only last night if the opera mouse to witness the presentation of "Faust" by Lewis Morrison's company. A special train from Port Lavaca brought seventy-five people and another from the west brought swenty-five from Beeville, seventy-five from Gollad and Siteen from Fannin to attend the affair, making by far the largest and best ardionce which over greeted a theartical performance in Victoria. The company, however, is distinctly interior to either of Morrison's companies which presented this play in Victoria on pravious occasions.

Hearne Items.

Hearne, Texas, January 20 .- At the Housbere this morning W. P. Ferguson is in Warn this afternoon. Quite a musher of the roung people enleved a hop at the Masonic ball last night.

of every 1000 men engaged thirty-five were killed, thirty-five wounded and seventy wounded of 80,000 men engaged, and the slightly wounded. The percentage was 14. Confederares nearly as many of their 56. somewhat greater than observed in the Mark in the Transvaal. Some of the battles show these figures. At Worth, Germans—Killed, 1586; wounded, 1680; men engaged, 106,000; at Mars-1a-Tour-421 killed; wounded, 10,402; men engaged, 10,000; at Sedan-Killed, 2319; wounded, 5904; men engaged, 150,000, and at Gravelotte-Killed, 5237; wounded, 14,433; men engaged, 200,000. The percentages follow: Worth 9.5, Mars-la-Tour 21, Sedan 4.5 and Gravelotte-Killed, 10,000. The percentages follow: Worth 9.5, Mars-la-Tour 21, Sedan 4.5 and Gravelotte-Killed, 10,000. The percentages follow: Worth 9.5, Mars-la-Tour 21, Sedan 4.5 and Gravelotte to.

where guppowder whom the besten side sold be cut down ad libitum by the date of the follows are follows at the cut that the British larger due to the fact that the

the percentage of loss:		
Men	Hors de	Rat o
Engaged	Combat.	P. C.
Stone River 105,000	36,578	.35
Waterloo 145,000	51.000	.35
Cannae 146,000	52,090	
Threamauga 105,000	36,655	34
Gettysburg 165,000	53,186	- 222
Borodino 250,000	78,000	.31
Pittsburg Landing, \$5,000	25,000	- 30
Hannockburn 135,000	38,030	.28
Thrasymene 65.000	17,000	- 127
Cressy 117,000	21,200	37
Wilderness 190,000	49,137	126
Contreras 11,000	2,600	384
Marongo 58,000	13 000	(4)
Chancello: sville 160 000	30,000	19
Agincourt 62 000	14,900	18
Gravelotte 320,000	48,500	- 17
Buena Vista 21,700	7,000	73.4
Austerlicz 170,000	23,000	. 13
Alma 103,000	8,400	- 3
Sadowa 402,000	23,000	

expected to return by the end of the month, afternoon, the ceremony taking place at Mrs. A. S. Carr has returned from a visit, the residence of L.W. Tinking Post S. Carr has returned from a visit the residence of J. W. Tinkler, Rev. Green ughter, Mrs. N. C. Freeman, in Pine of Halletsville performed the ceremony. The wedding was a quiet affair, only a few

train with a carload of excursionists from Mr. and Mrs. Woods of Harris, Mo., who Frankfort, Ky., January 20.—The grand | were called home on account of Mrs. Jury today indicted ex-Congressman David | Woods' father's death, returned today and

THEORIES ABOUT FOOD.

Also a Few Facts on the Same Sub-

We hear much nowadays about health foods and hygienic living, about yegetarianism and many other fads along the

Restaurants may be found in the larger

The Observance of General Lee's are excellent guides to follow in matters

Wharton, Texas, January 20.—The analogous and the state of the state o

T. Hellon.

The defense of the president state of these excellent tablets taken after dimer will digest several thousand grains of meat. eggs or other animal food in three hours. The Character of Lee —Mrs. P. Huston.

Song—Once in a Purple Twilight—Mrs.

Song—Once in a Purple Twilight—Mrs. Song "Once in a Purple I was using Sinart's Dyspersion and distant a Canding The Sword of Lee"—Mrs. Maude cause they supply the pepsin and distant a cause

Pending—The Sword
Tatts.

Chorus—"Old Kentucky Home."

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Rectlation—"The Conquered Banner"—Mrs.

their use.

That large class of people who come

That large class of people who come

the head of nervous dyspeptics C. M. Finghes.
A dainty repast crowned the evening's enjoyment.
Wharton was well represented at the grand ball as Richmond lust night.
Presiding Elder G. H. Houchkiss is expected taday in attendance on quarrerly conference how in session here.

That large class of people who come and insure fix should cat plenty of meat and insure fix proper digestion by the daily use of a safe, harmless digestive neighbor the safe. Larmless digestive neighbor the natural digestive principles, pepsin, diascuse fruit acids and safe, which actually perform the work of digestion. Cheap tharrie medicines, manquerading under Celebration of the Birthday of Ronert E. Lee.

Victoria. Texas, January 28.—The celebrase effect upon the actual digestion of food. Lee by W. P. Rogers Chapter, United Daugh- ply a failure of the stomach to digest food

bers, and he did it by means of the 'endless chain" letter. Mr. Hoge is a midthe stock ben this norming little Corrie Rell
King, the 4-year-norming little Corrie Rell
King, was struck by a Coural schools and
one of hir less to badly brused that ampulation was necessary.

Supertniendent J. W. Hyars of the Wase
and Brazos Velley Railway company was
bere this morning. dle-ssed man with blonde hair and fair assumed as they are as individuals so widely separated, saw no way to reach them except by the 'endless chain' suchod. The result was surprisingly successful. Rock Island Items.

Rock Island Items.

Rock Island Texas. January 10 -Mr. H.

H. Streibeck and Miss Lula Bell McIntire
were united in marriage at 3:30 yesterday

The result was surprisingly successful. I prepared a letter setting forth the object I had in view and addressed it to
botel. Elmira, this State. There was no
request for money contribution, but sim-

# A special clothing sale Men's Shoes.

January is a month of sales; they are going on side of 6.00 or 7.00 shoes, inspect all over the country. Tomorrow, in order to give an impetus to the sale already inaug= but you can't g urated, we will place some splendid lines of Men's Fine Clothing at your disposal at wonderfully low prices. The garments are all new Calf and Russia Kid in Tans and and perfect in every respect, and a perfect fit is guaranteed in each individual instance.

Men's Suits.



Fancy Cassimere

Monday 5.75 Men's Fine Business Suits of all pure wool smooth and rough chev 10ts, plain black or blue-some double, some single breasted; and in fancy cassimeres and wor-

steds of desirable patterns; roundcut sacks that formerly sold at 12.50, with now and then a 10.00 value, price for 7.65 Monday's sale .....

EXTRA FINE SUITS FOR BUSiness or semi-dress, comprising almost our entire line of 15.00 values, and containing many very handsome striped worsteds, plain blue and black cheviots and winter serges-too many to detail but easy to show, special sale .... 11.75 detail but easy to

Overcoats.

We have made the prices so low and Plain Chev- that 'twill pay you well to buy one iot Suits, round- and lay it away for next winter. wood material, longest part of winter yet to come

> Top Coats, cut medium length with full box waist, clay-weave serge fined, satin sleeve linings, a fine 10.00 value; special sale price. 7.65

342-Dark Blue Melton Overcoats with little touches of gray, lined throughout with heavy silk, a medium-weight garment that is easily worth 18.00; priced 

medium heavy-weight, "Oatmeal" pattern, very dressy and

617-Medium-Weight Overcoats

rousers.

Here's a sale of the finest Trouscut, strictly all But there is the heaviest if not the ers we have ever shown. They are regular 7.50 and in which the use of one of these made of the best materials, both fact, such shoe making and such 8.50 values, sizes coats can be counted as clear profit, imported and domestic, and are quality isn't often found for less slightly broken, 5527-Light Tan Covert Cloth guaranteed perfect as to fit, fabric price of 3.50. We have added

> 9.00 Trousers, Special Price . 6.75 8.00 Trousers, Special Price. 6.75 6.00 Trousers, Special Price 4-75 5.00 Trousers, Special Price ... 3 95

7480—Covert Cloth Top Coats, medium beavy-weight, "Oatchock full of style, regular 15.00 value; special sale price 11.75 Clothing.

We make it worth your while to of fine Herringbone Worsted in buy boys' clothes now. Your two colors, brown and gray, choice of any suit, overcoat, knee lined throughout with fine twilled silk, and silk faced to edge, a trousers or mackintosh in the house regular 20.00 value: 12.50 at a reduction from regular prices special sale price .... 12.50 of Twenty per cent.

KIAM'S

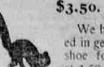
Spring styles are beauties, There's a richness of tone and expression in our 5.00 shoes that is: incomparable. Place them alongall their points and you'll tind them points of superiority. You can pay higher prices elsewhere, but you can't get better shoes than

The new toes are: ALGONQUIN, TUDOR, ST. JAMES.

They come in Vici Kid and Velour Calf in Blacks, and Russia

> You will appreciate their beauty more when you feel the comfort that's there.

Black Cat Shoes.



We have succeed. ed in getting a better shoe for our trade at 3.50 than is often sold for 5.00. In

some new shapes this season, notably the Lexington, a straight flat lase with a full round toe, neatly tipped; the New Teddy, a wide round toe, with tip, last slightly rooked, swing on outer edge, and the Beacon, a medium round toe, with tip, last almost straight. The vamps are of Blumenthal's best black chrome kid, Hauselt's "Flower City" coffee and tan kid, and White Bros.' willow calf. We particularly call attention to the unstretchable sail cloth linings, fast colored hooks and eyelets and oak tan counters and soles, which are the vital points in shoes.

We have all sizes and all widths, The price is fixed at ... 3.50



The second of the second secon health.

Our forefathers had other things to do than formulate theories about the frod hetter medium for spreading a propagands they are. A warm welcome was extended to any kind from bacon to accrus.

A healthy appetite and common sense

Thinseit a commercial travelers as a class. He thinks there is no hetter medium for spreading a propagands than they. He figures out that there are 350,000 commercial travelers in the United States. "There are," he said, "a The Observance of General Lee's are excellent guides to follow in matters of diet, and a mixed diet of grains, fruits and mears is undoubtedly the best.

A healthy appetite and common sense United States. "There are," he said, "a great many houses in the country that employ from twenty-five to fifty salesmen, and mears is undoubtedly the best.

As compared with grains and vessibles. ters of the Confederacy, at the pleasant hams of Mrs. R. A. Armstrong. A large and congenial crowd were present, and were designably emeritated by the charming hosters, and the following programme, which was artistically rendered.

An original poem on Lee's Birthday, from the gitted pen of the State bistorian, Mrs. Adelin fluorovant, read by the president, Mrs. Intringental duct—Mesdames Watts and interactions and is digested and assimilated more quickly than vegeturing agents, etc., employing in the aggregate 300,000 commercial travelors, and for the hen to his wife, and Mrs. Says. "Nervous persons, people run down in health and of low vitality should eat insurance agents, adjusters, freight solidations and assimilated more quickly than vegeturing agents, etc., employing in the aggregate 300,000 commercial travelors, and the bird gradually became a pet of the house. She would lay her eggs in the house. She would lay her e can do in the way of agitating for or against any question, commercial or political, let him figure that each of these drummers' will call upon six customers a day and have triendly taiks with six other men. This gives us a total 4,200,000 face to face chats a day. O can hardly overestimate the influen of commercial travelers in the affairs of commercial the world, particularly when they are all working with a common purpose." Mr. Hoge says there are more than twenty different associations of commercial travelers, and he thinks their consolidation into one body is possible. "That would into one body is possible. "That would be creating a trust to destroy trans," suggested the commercial representative. "Well," he asked. "what's the matter with lighting the devil with fire?"

GOLDTHWAITE NEWS NOTES.

A Furmer Seriously Hurt in a Runaway. Goldthwaite, Texas, January 18 .- Word

was brought to town yesterday evening that Mr. Ren Wright, living on the Lam? pasas river near Star, was seriously if not fatally injured yesterday morning. He had a wild team hitched to a breaking plow, when they ran away with him, breaking both arms and injuring him internally, it is feared.

This town is to vote on incorporation the 23d instant. It has a population of about 1600 and sentiment on the subject is pretty evenly divided.

then P. H. Coments, representative of this, the Ninety-fourth district, will leave for Austin Sunday morning to attend the extra session of the legislature. Mr. Clements is a Chilton man. William Hoge of this city is the organizer of the Commercial Travelers' and Hotel Men's League, with 10,000 members and he did to the color of the characteristics the 12th instant; 136 bales of the characteristics are considered to the color of the characteristics.

of the above amount came from the town of San Saba. The receipts here now mount to about 5500 bales. All this week has been warm, balmy

season so far as regards the rain that this county has bad in twenty-seven years; the ground is thoroughly maked. Wheat 3 looks as well as it was ever known to at this season of the year. Much of it will have to be grazed whenever the ground is

and saddle business Brought Her From Koo-Koo, Chius,

and She Laid Eggs for Heath ins. Boston Herald. Some ten years age Captain J. Clifford Entwiste, now city clerk of Salem, then

devoting the proceeds of the eggs and chickens of Koo-Koo to the missionary cause, and for the seven years little Koo-Koo lived all her earnings went to convert Chinee heathens, and a good many dollars went that way. The hen would ley her egg and then go out into the kitchen and cluck until some one went and found the egg; then she would fly up on the window sill and peck at the window as a sign that she wished to go

Chinese children in their own language. It was the story of a little hen called Koo-Koo, which undertook to support on little Chinese giel that she might be educated. It contained an account of a cation whatever to his case. He tries to

marter of a New York spilling vessel sail- Cuero, Texas, January 10. Miss Edna . The secretary of the treasury is bareby ing to China and Japan, brought home Proctor has returned from Paris, where present custom house property in the from China a little hen. He hamed the she has been for the past mouth visiting city of New York \* \* \* and to deposit the proceeds in the United States treasury came. He presented the hen to his wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Whittaker are home

Entwise wrote a very printy little story, founded on the history of Koo-Koo, and ant it out to be read to the children in New York World. the far-away land whence came the hen. There it took so well that it was trans-lated into Chinese and read to the little and an able lawyer, disposes of Secretary

The Texas Telephone and Telegraph Oursungsungsungsungenereneeneene

represent a seem described by Mrs. Entwish. It represents the \$1 her and
three younger ones, with eight or ten
very small chicks. The picture is made
on a sheet of brown paper, and the hers settled that (1) that a special statute for It was sent to the missionary headquar-

Cuero Cullings.

and the bird gradually became a pet of again after a pleasant visit to Galveston this law.

Jewel lodge No. 103; Knights of Pythias, held their regular meeting last night and installed the following officers. H. Dinter, chancellor commander: A. W. S. Garover, chancellor commander: A. W. S. Garover, chancellor commander: A. W. S. Garover, chancellor commander, and which is a sufficient to overden, vice chancellor: E. Runitz, prelate: rule the statute and to supersede the de-J. M. Duggan, master of work: N. Nash, casion of the supreme court, which was keeper of records and seal, H. Mugge, given in these words by Calef Justice master of exchequer, A. B. Deats, master Walter at arms; P. H. Caldwell, master of finance; The position assumed (that is, the posi-

Hilliard's oyster parlor, where an oyster little Koo-Koo died, and was visitors were Mr and Mrs. D. D. McManus and Mr. Jeffords of Thomaston.

application for membership, which could exchange completed which will be a great a numerous tribe of various axes.

simply se a temporary sid to the government of any information for membership, which could exchange completed which will be a great a numerous tribe of various axes.

After hearing that story read, a Chiment in disburing funds to confractors ness boy painted a picture of the proof.

SEW. Hudson as bought the interest ing of Kon-Koo and her descendants to soldlers, etc., into a statute authorizing

ters in Boston first, and yesterday was law, and (2) that a directory statute sent down to Mrs. Entwiste by whom it must be exactly followed and obeyed. The law directing the sale of the ouston house

as miscellaneous receipts.

Mr. Gage admirs that he did not open

the National City bank subject to us

G. P. Box, inner guard: C. A. Summers, tion that a depository is levelly the trans-outer guard.

After the installation, joined by their posited with a bank that was a designated depository, it the money in question; was not paid into the treasury. And in these words in November last

Justice McKenna: Although it (the money in question) had been placed in a regularly designated depositors it can not be held to have been covered into the Luited States treesury. New York World.

Should a lawbreaker continue as secreSenntar Allen of Nebraska, former judge tary of the treasury?

> Color Line in South Africa. Rochester Herald

There are not lacking indications of a con flot between the board of strategy and Lord Roberts, who wants Indian cavalry sent to the Transvas! The war office thinks that the appearance of colored troops in South Airica would drive every Afrikander to the support of the Boers, physically as well as morally. And that would seem to be a good way to look at it

## Selling Wall Paper

Is easy when the goods and prices are right. The way our business in this line continues to grow it would appear that we were filling a popular want-not only at home, but ihroughout the State from the guilf to the Panbandle. It you are needing Wall Paper, tell us what kind and quality is needed and let us submit sam-ples and prices of new patterns.

HOUSTON.

"Makes My Mamma Well" and unless the mother is well there can be little happiness for children or husband and little help or comfort for relatives or friends. It is this greatest of all blessings-HEALTH-vigorous.bounding, energetic, ambitious health, that G. F. P. GERSTLE'S FENALE PANACEA gives to womankind. It heals, strengthens and regulates her whole sexual system. There is no womb trouble it will not cure, and at the same time it tones up and invigorates the entire body and mind. G. F. P. SAVED THIS WOMAN'S LIFE. l consider your G. F. P. (Gerstle's Female Panacea) the best medicine I have ever seen used in my life. My wife has been entirely cured by its use. Her menses have been restored and all of her pains been entirely relieved. It has done her more good than all of the doctors that have ever treated her and I am going to try and induce all of my suffering friends to use it. I do not believe she could have lived had it not been for G. F. P. and I intend in keep it in my house all the time.

W. M. MOORE, Estil, Miss.